His Excellency the Governor communicated to Mr. Speaker, the L.H.J. following Message, viz.t

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Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,

Captain Joseph Chapline and his Brother, having delivered to me Two Accounts against the Public, for several Articles with which they supplied some Detachments of Militia that have at Times this Summer served on the Frontiers, under the Command of themselves and Capt. Elias Delashmutt, I now lay them before you for Payment, together with the Journals that the Gentlemen kept while they continued on Duty, in Obedience to my Orders; and I recommend it to you likewise, to make them and their respective Detachments such an Allowance for their Services as the Law directs

27th October, 1757.

Hor.º Sharpe.

The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock Afternoon.

Post-Meridiem. The House met according to Adjournment, &c. Mr. J. H. Dorsey appeared in the House.

The Order of the Day being Read; the House proceeded further on an Hearing of the Petition of Josiah Beall; and after full Examination of the Witnesses, and on Consideration of the Allegations and Facts contained in the said Petition, the Question was put, Whether the whole Election for Frederick County be set aside, or Not? Resolved in the Negative.

On Motion, Leave given, to bring in a Bill To continue the Process in Baltimore County November Court, to March Court 1758.

Ordered, That Mr. Williamson, Col. Henry, and Mr. Gale, do prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

Mr. Lee hath Leave to go home.

The House adjourns until the Morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.

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The House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as Yesterday. The Proceedings were Read. p. 57

Mr. Govane appeared in the House.

Mr. Dent hath Leave to go home.

The Order of the Day being Read; the House proceeded further on the Petition of Josiah Beall, and Referred the same for Consideration Afternoon.

The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock Afternoon.

Post-Meridiem. The House met according to Adjournment: All the Members appeared as in the Morning, except Mr. Lee and Mr. Dent.

Mr. Plater and Mr. Harris have Leave to go home.